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In re the Application of:

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For:

ORGANISM CHARACTERISTIC DATA ACQUIRING APPARATUS, AUTHENTICATION

APPARATUS, ORGANISM CHARACTERISTIC DATA ACQUIRING METHOD,

ORGANISM CHARARCTERISTIC DATA ACQUIRING PROGRAM AND COMPUTER-READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM ON WHICH THIS PROGRAM IS RECORDED

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 14, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on September 14, 2007.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.